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PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: 041514-5125

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Mail Stop AF
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Application No.: 09/878,180)	Group Art Unit: 2652
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Filed: June 12, 2001)	Examiner: P.V. Agustin
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For: OBJECTIVE LENS, OPTICAL PICKUP)	
DEVICE AND OPTICAL RECORDING/)	
REPRODUCING APPARATUS)	

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RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 8, 2004, the period of response to which extends through November 8, 2004 by the concurrently filed petition for a two-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections set forth in the outstanding Final Office Action are respectfully requested.

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